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**AMENDMENT**

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This amendment is in response to the office action dated February 2, 2004. In addition, a separate petition and fee for a three month extension of time is attached. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.7, this paper is timely filed. Please amend the application as follows: